

### **REMARKS**

The April 8, 2005 office action indicated that claims 8-12 and 14 are allowed, and rejected claims 1-7, 13, and 15-20. The foregoing amendment cancels all non-allowed claims; it comports with 37 C.F.R. § 1.116(b)(1) and renders the application allowable, and entry thereof is respectfully requested.

The present amendment is made in order to obtain issuance of a patent on the allowed subject matter; it is not an acknowledgement regarding the propriety of the rejection of the canceled claims, and applicant reserves the right to present such claims in continuing applications.

Respectfully submitted,



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